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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
RYOICHIRO SATO ET AL.) Examiner: M. Shehata
Serial No.: 07/388,079) Group Art Unit: 2601
Filed: August 1, 1989)
For: INFORMATION PROCESSING)
APPARATUS) February 4, 1993

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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

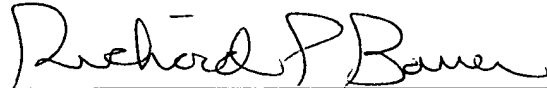
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for taking further action one additional month, further to the Notice of Appeal timely filed on November 4, 1992, from January 4, 1993 to February 4, 1993.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$110.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington Office by telephone at (202) 347-8100 or by facsimile at (202) 347-8136. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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